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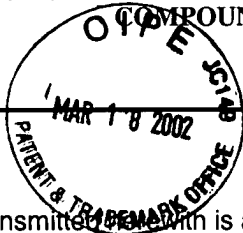
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1655Invention: **METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR MODIFYING LEVELS OF SECONDARY METABOLIC COMPOUNDS IN PLANTS**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**RECEIVED**
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Applicant : Keller, et al.
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Secondary Metabolic Compounds in Plants

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION AND AMENDMENT
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed January 16, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows, without prejudice or disclaimer.

In the Claims

Please rewrite claim 34 as follows:

34. (Once amended) A method for altering a nutritional profile of a plant, comprising the steps of:

selecting a nucleic acid sequence for its ability to encode a protein capable of modifying the utilization of a substrate in a secondary metabolic pathway associated with a nutritional profile of a plant, said protein being non-native to said secondary metabolic pathway;

transforming a plant cell of said plant with an expression cassette comprising said nucleic acid sequence, said plant being of a type used as an animal feed, with the proviso that said plant is not rice or *Arabidopsis*; and

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